Denied by Editor of Venezelist Newspaper.

SPECIFIC CONTRADICTIONS

To the Editor of The Star: In the issue of The Evening Star of May 29 there appears a communication over the signature of S. Vouros, charge l'affaires of the Greek legation at Washington, purporting to be a response to two of my fellow-countrymen. These two countrymen are not in any way officially identified with the Venizelos government. They are simply ardent patriots, who smart under the injustice and misrule of the pro-German King Constantine, and have taken it upon themselves of their own volition and out of their small means to make argument in defense of their comments. provisional government at Sa niki has any misrepresentation even thoritatively arisen. The facts beauthoritatively arisen. The facts to fore me in question are simply these: Mr. Vouros declares in answer ific accusations against the crown

that:

1. Gen. Hatzopulo acted on his own initiative and actually surrendered to the Bulgar-Germans the 4th Greek Army Corps, but without the consent of the Greek government, which for this reason repudiated the general for

The Hatzopulo Surrender.

(Answer.) Not alone Hatzopulo, the government of the court of tens is responsible for the surrenof these troops, as is proved by a les of official documents, verified eries of official documents, verified and sworn to before a notary, and published in Greek, French and English. (See New York Times' Current History of the War, February volume.) These official documents prove that the surrendering of the whole of Macedonia, with 17 forts, 300 guns, 55,000 weapons, horses and ammunition, etc., had been done according to a plan and secret done according to a plan and secret convention between Constantine and the kaiser. The government has not "repudiated" Hatzopulo. Col. Salaki, for his surrender to the Anglo-French troops at Fort Karabourneu, to Gen. Sarrail, was brought before the Greek courts and prosecuted. Hatzopulo, who surrendered to the hereditary enemy of Greece, the Bulgarians, was not only not prosecuted, but was left entirely unmolested, is receiving double salary not prosecuted, but was left entirely unmolested, is receiving double salary and has been praised by the king. Furthermore, the royal government has made no move to demand the return of the Greek troops captured at the time of Hatzopulo's surrendes, although these forces are suffering in the German prison camps and are even compelled to fight by the side of the Bulgarians on the Macedonian front. The failure of King Constantine to demand the return of these troops points without question to the fact that their surrender was in accordance with plans formulated between the Greek crown and the Teutonic powers.

2. Mr. Vouros declares that no trap was set against the Anglo-French army on its landing on the 1st of December.

The Slaughters in Athens.

 (Answer.) The affidavits of trust-worthy witnesses, both Greek and for-signers, can be obtained concerning the slaughters in Athens. The reports of laughters in Athens. The reports of fr. Guillemain, French ambassador at thens, contain full details of the trocities which have been committed. rince George, true son of his mother

3. Mr. Vouros denies that pogroms took place against the liberal followers of Venizelos, by the royalists.
3. (Answer.) The victims of the royal government number 5,000 of the followers of Venizelos—this number to admitted by the government of Con-stantine. On the 31st of December the allies handed an ultimatum to the Con-stantine government, and the fourth ar-ticle therein was a demand that repa-ration be made to those of the Veni-selists who had suffered at the hands of the crown. The Greek government did not dispute the accusation and promised to give satisfaction. In denying so well substantiated an accusation Mr. Vouros should more carefully study the facts and the admissions of the government he serves.

Greeks in America.

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There are 400,000 Greeks in the United States, fully 80 per cent of whom are followers of Venizelos. Great Britain and France have both recognized the Venizelos government. Mr. Frank B. Polk, in a letter to Senator Calder of New York, made a statement to this effect, and further added that the government of the United States was considering the proper attitude of this country in the matter.

Mr. Vouros knows that he has no argument to cite before the United States government that will alter the attitude of the American people toward Greece

government that will alter the attitude of the American people toward Greece and things Grecian. He also knows that every act of King Constantine during the war has been one of decidedly progerman tendency. He also knows that Baron. Schenck, the German propagandist, has poured millions of marks of German gold into Constantine's treasury, and that Constantine himself is simply a king in pawn.

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On the first page of The Star in the game issue in which appears the Vouros communication is an article announcing the resignation of Mr. Constantinidi, the first secretary of the Greek legation at Washington. Merewith is an extract from The Star embracing an interview with Mr. Constantinidi, in the course of which he said:

"As I see it, it is the duty of every humane and honest man to arraign himself on the side of America and the entente. The whole terrible situation has narrowed down to a simple question of humanity and civilization against German barbarity and bestiality of a type almost beyond human belief. When a nation of people calling themselves divilized human belings begins to sink hospital ships, murder women and children and use its dead for manure, it is time for all decent men to turn their faces away."

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"When King Constantine arraigned himseit on the side of German barbarity and infamy I felt that the time to

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OPPENHEIMERS SHOP UNIQUE-Cor. 8th and E Sts. N.W. dissociate myself from his government had come, and I have resigned and of-fered my services to the great Premier Venizelos, than whom, in my judgment, no greater statesman lives today. He is fighting exactly for the same things that President Wilson so wisely and graphically outlined in his war ad-dress.

Statements of Charge Vouros

Greeks wounded at Saloniki."

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Sufferings in Greece.

Would not any other humane Greek, American or patriot of any national-ity have exactly the same attitude un-der like conditions? Ribot, premier of France, has cabled to the United States that the same of Greek in Schooling der like conditions? Ribot, premier of France, has cabled to the United States that thousands of Greeks in Saloniki and along the Macedonian front, where shoulder to shoulder with our French allies they have distinguished themselves in many recent engagements, are suffering for the simplest care and hospital equipment. Mr. Henry P. Davidson, the head of the American Red Cross, has this cable now under consideration. He also has irrefutable evidence that Sophia, Queen of Greece, the wife of King Constantine, and the sister of the kaiser, who is the official head of the Red Cross in Athens, has, by royal decree, denied her own countrymen in Saloniki any assistance, an act absolutely unprecedented in Red Cross work. Mr. Vouros knows all of these things, yet he embraces the first opportunity that presents itself to arraign two humble citizens of this country with the love of their native land still coursing through their veins at the bar of American opinion.

PETROS P. TATANIS, [Editor of the National Herald, a Greek daily newspaper of New York.]

May 31, 1917.

economical force in distributing, it will be supplanted by some other force."

STORE

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KING OF GREECE **DECLARED NEUTRAL**

swers Charges in Advertisement.

ment, with his full approval and at his suggestion, offer to ally Greece with the entente powers? Why, when Gen. Sarrail's troops were forced to retire from Serbja upon Saloniki, and King Constantine could easily have destroyed the allied army, did he protect both flanks of the French and British from the Germans and Bulgarians? On December 1, 1916, when the Venizelists had misled Admiral Dartige du Fournet into landing a force of French, British and Italian marines on neutral soil and marching them against the peaceful city of Athens, and when the volunteer soldiers of Greece had completely surrounded the allied forces and held the French admiral virtually a country. Editor of the National Herald, a Greek daily newspaper of New York.]

May 31, 1917.

ADVERTISERS ARE TOLD

OF CHANCE TO AID NATION

ST. LOUIS. June 6.—Advertisers have before them a great opportunity to "demonstrate the power of enlightened publicity in the cause of freedom and democracy" in the opinion of Louis W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railway, as expressed in a paper read here Monday before the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. Mr. Hill was not present. His address was read.

Herbert S. Houston of New York. Herbert S. Houston of New York, and the business world today challenges advertising as to the character and cost of its service.

Mr. Houston continued: "if advertising lime to the most efficient and earry out their promise to send in sumable to meet that challenge it cannot suitely as the most efficient and earry out their promise to send in service and present in the Serbo-Bulgaria was to the Greek order. of Serbia the 150,000 f Neutrality.

Constantine's Policy of Neutrality.

Tour advertisement refers in a slighting way to the Greek Order, of

The "JOHNNIE REB" BOOT-Dedicated to the

Confederate Veterans

A NEW woman's boot of dark gray canvas, with covered wood heel. Feather-\$3.85

"LADY LUXURY" Full-fashioned Silk Stockings to match.

Women's \$3 to

Women's Superb \$5 and \$6

C HOICE of more than 50 brilliant styles of Pumps—in all the newest models.

on vamps, some with buckle or tongue.

Some plain, some with perforations

914 -16 PA.AVE.

233 PA. AVE.S.E.

In the choicest black and patent leathers

-also broken lots in brown, gray and ivory

\$3.85

Pumps—All

FEET HURT? Got bad corns, bunions, overlapping toes,

flat foot or fallen arch? See our FOOT SPECIALISTS.

Leathers

pro-Germanism. Any defense of the policy of the constitutional government of Greece that Atlantis might make could not, therefore, be pro-German, since the policy neither of King Constantine nor his government is or ever has been pro-German—or anything but pro-Greek. All that King Constantine has done to evoke the vituperation heaped upon him by revolutionary propagandists has been to follow precisely the policy President Wilson followed for two years and a half—a policy of neutrality, and a neutrality especially most friendly to the allies.

Greek Tameliet Tameliet Tamelies the freek policy of the Greek population in the United States. For these and other services extending over twenty-five years the King of Greece promoted me to a higher rank in the Order of the Redeemer, and his holiness the patriarch of Constantinople appointed me exarch general of the Greek Corthodox Church.

The Greek revolutionists accuse to-day that the newspaper Atlantis is converted to the constantinople appointed to a higher that the newspaper Atlantis is converted to the constantinople appointed to a higher that the newspaper Atlantis is converted to the constantinople appointed to a higher that the newspaper Atlantis is converted to the constantinople appointed to the constantinople appointed to the policy propagandists has been to follow precisely the patriarch of Constantinople appointed to the policy propagandists has been to follow precisely the patriarch of Constantinople appointed to a higher that the policy propagandists has been to follow precisely the patriarch of Constantinople appointed to a higher that the policy propagandists has been to follow precisely the patriarch of Constantinople appointed to a higher that the newspaper Atlantis is constantined to the services and succeeded in raising over \$480,000 amongst the Greek population in the United States. For these and other services extending over twenty-five years the King of Greece promoted to a higher that the services are the services and the succeeded in raising o

Greek Loyalist Leagues. The loyalist leagues, which have been

established among the Greeks in fifty

cities of the United States, in response o a spontaneous demand that those freeks loyal to the constitutional gov-FACTS AS TO DECORATION

Greeks loyal to the constitutional government of Greece and opposed to the exploitation both of Greece and of the entente allies by the Venizelist revolutionaries, should keep in touch one with another in these trying times. These leagues are simply the Greek colonies in several cities in the United States. These Greek colonies are not in need of any money. They are self-in supporting. Not a penny of German or any other money has gone into their organization and maintenance, and there never was any occasion to use any money to express their sentiments suggestion, offer to ally Greece with the entente powers? Why, when Gen. Sarrail's troops were forced to retire from Serbia upon Saloniki, and King ed me as their president, thereby in-

Rew French Envoy to Petrograd.

PARIS, June 6.—Joseph J. Noulens, former minister of finance, former minister of war and member of the chamber of deputies, has been appointed ambassador at Petrograd. He will replace M. Paleologue. The Russian government has expressed its approval of the appointment.

HAHN'S 41st

"BIRTHDAY"

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NE of the greatest Shoe

known. In view of the

SALE SPECIALS

"KEDS," the famous

White Duck Rubber-

sole Tennis Oxfords.

For Boys and Girls,

Sizes 5 to 8....\$1.50

Sizes 81/2 to 2...\$2.00

A big sale of Boys' and

ues to \$3.50.

Girls' Shoes. Val-

Boys' Black and Tan

Misses' and Growing

Girls' White Canvas

English Laced and But-

Misses' and Growing

Girls' White Duck, Pat-

ent Leather, Black or

Tan Calf Pumps, Instep or Ankle Strap Pumps

fords. \$2.39 "Birthday Price".....

ton Boots. Sizes to 6.

Smart English and

Blucher Oxfords.

75c to 90c

present high costs of Shoes-the

price attractions being offered are

Venizelos.

But when certain indisputable facts finally reached us, which had been suppressed by the censor; when the true facts came out of the coup d'etat which Mr. Venizelos engineered on the 1st and 2d of December, 1916; when it was proved that Venizelos was only dangerous demagogue and was really false to his own country and false to the entente allies; when we realized that his only object was to become the dictator of Greece, it was then our duty not only to change our policy but also to expose Venizelos and to crush the nefarious schemes by which this reck-

be 50,000 men left these shores and fought to our hereditary enemies, the Turks and the Bulgars. Meantime Atlantis started a charity fund for the Greek Red-Cross and succeeded in raising over \$480,000 amongst the Greek population in the United States. For these and other services extending over twenty-five years the King of Greece promoted me to a higher rank in the Order of the Redeemer, and his holiness the patriarch of Constantinople appointed me exarch general of the Greek Orthodox Church.

The Greek revolutionists accuse to-day that the newspaper Atlantis is carrying on a "propaganda," forget ting the fact that Atlantis, of all the other Greek newspapers, was for over five years the stanchest supporter of Venizelos—that is, ever sinca he made his appearance on the political horizon of Greece. Atlantis supported and indores his policies up to the 9th of January, 1917, as it believed Venizelos at rue friend of the entente allies and a good Greek patriot.

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Solution sought his return to power, at even the risk of a fratricidal war in Greece.

The revolutionary junta of Venizelos as imply wasting money in a vain effort to obtain recognition by the United States, or the patriarch of Constantinople appointed years the King of Greece Population by the United States, or the patriarch of Constantinople appointed years the United States, or the greek of the A Ont. June a Inform, has reached Canadian a adquarters in France says an adquarters in France says an adquarters in France says an infinite when they were intended to supply von Hindenburg with his next army, "are being bornessons against me and accuse in ewspaper Atlantis as carrying on a "propaganda." Surs of this sort are unworthy of attention.

The revolutionists in their advertisement in The Evening Star state that the decoration conferred upon me d'etat that t

ON HINDENBURG LINE

Canadians in France Say Partly Trained Youths Are Rushed

Letters found recently on Germans indicate, the dispatch says, that soldiers, themselves on scanty rations, have here and there been sending food home to their families

Chinese Vice President Resigns.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 6.—Vice President Feng Kwo-Chang handed his resignation to President Li Yuan Hung Monday, according to a cablegram received here by the Chinese World. The same message said China's president had issued a proclamation calling on all opposing factions to unite and declaring his own neutrality in the internal troubles which have apparently split the republic.

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ments would be helpful. This might be arranged by making application to 2d floor credit decision.

A Sale of Mendel's \$2 Porch Dresses, \$1.69

Every Summer Skirt Requirement is Answered Here \$1.00, \$4.95, \$7.95 to \$17.50

Materials Include cotton pique, linene, pure linen, gabar-dine, cotton serge, rep, beach cloth, silk taffeta, silk and wool jersey, wool poplin, wool gabardine, satinstripe taffeta, pongee and khaki cloth.

Colors Include pink, green, helio, gold, Copenhagen, navy, white and black, novelty stripe effects and plaids, new flowered designs, khaki kool and Japanese effects.

The Styles Pleats, tucks and gathers are featured, as well as shirred effects, with yoke sash belts of all widths and novelty pockets. Button trimmed and deep

Silk Fiber Sweater Coats



A smart, new model, with large collar, sash and military pockets. Colors are Copenhagen, rose and canary.

Shetland Wool Sweater Coats. Special, \$6.95 Distinctive and new, made

with a large, brushed collar and

cuffs; wide sash, finished with tassels. Novelty pockets. Colors are salmon, peach, light

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You'll be literally amazed at the collection of styles, colors and kinds here assembled-medium light and dark shetlands, plain weaves, silk and brushed wool jerseys and silk fiber.

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genuine Mendel's dresses, made with their customary good care and smart style of extra fine quality percale, in solid shades or striped designs. Three-quarter sleeve and low-neck styles. The skirts are trimmed in solid shades to harmonize. Sizes 36 to

69c Undermuslins, 45c

Gowns, Combinations, Drawers and Envelope Chemises, of fine cambric or muslin, trimmed in embroidery or lace beading.

Thomson's \$1.50 Corsets, 89c

The famous Thomson Glove-Fitting models of light-weight coutil, medium high bust, long hips and four hose supporters. Each corset perfect. We are closing them out because they are discontinued numbers. All sizes.

\$1.49 Petticoats, 95c

Of cambric, with deep ruffle of embroidery or lace; also underlay. All lengths.



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Baby Wear Sale

Bless their little hearts. We have everything for their comfort in a department all their own, with a buyer who devotes all her time to assembling needs for the tiny tots. Special reductions are the rule during this sale.

Red Star Diaper Cloth.

Hemmed ready for use; one dozen to a package—
Size 24x24 in., \$1.75 value...\$1.39
Size 27x27 in., \$2.25 value...\$1.69 Ready-to-hem Diapers; 10 yards o a package— Size 24x24 in., \$1.50 value..\$1.29 Size 27x27 in., \$1.75 value..\$1.59 25c and 5oc Rubber Diapers,

19c and 39c. Drawer style, with buttons and 29c and 59c Rubber Sheeting,

21c and 44c. Ready for use, in 3-4 and 4-4 \$2.50 Pique Coats, \$2.19.

With large, round scalloped col-lar and cuffs. Sizes 1 to 2 years. Infants' 35c Dresses, 29c.

Long and short styles, made of longcloth, trimmed with lace at neck and sleeves.

Children's 17c Drawers, Of cambric, finished with plain tucks. Sizes 2 to 12v years.

29c and 59c Crib Pads, 19c and 39c. Extra heavy quilted pads, well Infants' 59c and 69c Bonnets,

of lawn and organdy, trimmed with lace embroidery and pin tucks; sizes 13 and 16.

Infants' \$1.29 Carriage Covers, 95C. Made of lawn, with scalloped or embroidered ruffle.

Children's 69c Hats, 49c. White Pique Wash Hats, trim-ned in braid.

"Summery" Rugs For the Summer Home

Hodges' make, of all-fiber; \$7.95 Size 9 by 12 feet.....

Basket weaves, with a smooth finish;

Tonopah Fiber Rugs Size 814 by 101/2 feet. Their artistic beauty and service-ability commend them to all \$6.95 housewives.....

China Mattings Best grade 116-warp China Mattings, in check and block patterns, tan, 35c green and brown shades. Special, a yard...... 40-yard rolls, \$13.00.

Cretonne Rag Rugs Size 27 by 54 inches; reversible patterns. Sanitary, cool and attractive for bath, bedsides or small hall

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Boys' \$7.50 Blue Serge Norfolk \$5.95 Suits

Of fine twill navy blue serge GUARANTEED FAST COLOR.

Sun or dampness will not affect the quality of the beautiful fabric used in these garments. Pants are full lined. Coats are

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Women's & Misses' \$19.50 and \$24.50 Spring Suits, \$11.50

Mainly of poplin and silk taffeta, in navy blue and black. Sizes to fit small women and misses only. The quantity is

Women's \$24.50 Cape Coats, \$14,50 A smart garment for afternoon and evening wear-developed of all-wool mannish serge, in navy blue only. Made in a sleeveless effect, with large pennant collar,

Women's and Misses' \$19.50 and \$21.75 Silk Dresses, \$11.95

pockets, sash.

Charming styles-many new ones just shown of silk taffeta and taffeta combined with georgette crepe. Sport styles and fancy trimmed models. All the favored shades and all sizes.

Women's \$7.98 to \$10.95 Coats, \$6.90 Fifty good coats make up this groupthey are in novelty plaids and serviceable mixtures; full long, with large pockets and collars. Fine for utility wear.

\$7.50 Silk Taffeta Skirts, \$4.50 In plain black and self-striped effect, with deep shirred waist line and sports

Boys' 59c Sport Blouses, 44c

\$4 White and \$2.45 Black Shoes at. For Women, 90c to \$1.75 RASHIONABLE White Canvas High or Low \$1.00 a Week Pays For Men.....\$1.00 Heel Laced Boots-Pumps, 2-strap Pumps For a \$50.00 Bond and Oxfords-and Rubber-sole Oxfords. SALE of Young Ladies' Over 30 styles of Patent Leather and White Duck Tennis Black Kid or Calf Pumps, Buckle Pumps, Tongue Pumps and Oxfords, with high or low Pumps, with white rubheels. Also Tan Calfskin Oxfords and Sport ber soles. \$2 \$1.39 values at..... MISSES' and chil-White Boots and Pumps dren's good \$2 and and \$5 Kinds . \$3.45 and Others—\$4 \$2.50 values in White Canvas Laced and But-**Tonopah Summer Rugs** BEAUTIFUL White Sea Isle Duck Laced ton Boots and Pumps, and Boys' White Duck, Boots with covered wood or leather heels, Fiber-soled Play Shoes and Sport Boots with rubber or leather and Oxfords. \$1.69 Thursday at.. White Duck Pumps, Colonials, Tongue Ratannia Rugs BOYS' and girls' fa-Pumps and Oxfords-with high white covnoted for its beauty, coolness \$12.45 ered wood or low heels. mous "Health" Bare-A number of good styles in Black and foot Sandals and Play Patent Leather Turn or Welt Sole Pumps. Oxfords. Good wearing Colonials and Oxfords-and broken lots of \$5 and \$6 Colored Kid and Two-tone High-cut Tan Willow Calf, with Goodyear Welt Elk soles.